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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 Twelfth Street S.W. Washington, DC 20554

Attention: Wireline Competition Bureau

RE: Notification of Discontinuance of Common-Carriage Tariffed Wireline

Broadband Internet Access Service (WBIAS) and Initiation of Provision on a

Permissive Detariffed Common-Carriage Basis by:

La Harpe Telephone Company, Inc. - SAC 341043

CC Docket No. 02-33

Dear Ms. Dortch:

GVNW Consulting, Inc. (GVNW) on behalf of La Harpe Telephone (Company), respectfully files the attached notice pursuant to *Wireline Broadband Order* of the intent of the Company to discontinue its Wireline Broadband Internet Access Service (WBIAS) offerings under GVNW Tariff F.C.C. No. 2 effective August 1, 2007. Upon discontinuance of the tariffed offerings, the Company will provide WBIAS on a common-carriage non-tariff basis. See *Appropriate Framework for Broadband Access to the Internet over Wireline Facilities, Universal Service Obligations of Broadband Providers*, CC Docket No. 02-33, WC Docket No. 05-271, Report and Order and Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, 20 FCC Rcd 14853 (2005), FCC 05-150 (Rel. Sept. 23, 2005), (*Wireline Broadband Order*).

Any questions regarding the notice may be directed to Ron Ottaway at 3220 Pleasant Run, Springfield, IL 62711 or phone at (217) 698-2700 or by email at <u>rottaway@gvnw.com</u>.

Sincerely,

Ron Ottaway Senior Consultant

Attachment cc: La Harpe Telephone Company

Special Assistant for Telecommunications at the Department of

Defense

The Office of the Honorable Rod Blagojevich, Governor of Illinois

The Illinois Commerce Commission

R.L. Smith, Federal Communications Commission, Wireline Competition

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Notice of Permissive Detariffing of Wireline Broadband Internet Access Service Effective August 1, 2007

LA HARPE TELEPHONE COMPANY INC. – SAC 341043

104 North Center Street, La Harpe, Illinois 61450 (217) 659-7721

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La Harpe Telephone ("Company") hereby provides notice that it plans to terminate provision of wireline broadband Internet access service (WBIAS) on a tariffed basis effective August 1, 2007 at which time it plans to offer permissive detariffed WBIAS on a Title II common-carriage basis pursuant to paragraph 94 of the Federal Communications Commission's *Wireline Broadband Order*¹. The Company currently offers WBIAS through Asymmetric Digital Subscriber Line ("ADSL") Access Service under GVNW Tariff F.C.C. No. 2.

In order to effect the permissive detariffing, the Company will make a tariff filing with the Federal Communications Commission on July 17, 2007 on 15-day notice to remove from its GVNW Tariff F.C.C. No. 2 ADSL Access Services (hereinafter "WBIAS") under the tariff effective August 1, 2007.

Impact on Customers

The only customer for the Company's WBIAS is the Company's affiliate nonregulated Internet Service Provider ("ISP") operation. The affiliate purchases WBIAS for use as a component in its broadband Internet service sold to consumers and business customers. The discontinuance of the tariffed offering of WBIAS will have no effect on the end user service provided by the affiliate.

Serving Area

The Company's provision of WBIAS is limited to its ILEC serving area in central western Illinois, La Harpe exchanges.

Future Availability of WBIAS on a Permissive-Detariffed Common Carriage Basis

The Company will continue to make WBIAS available on a common-carriage basis through posting of rates, terms and conditions on its Internet web-site in a manner similar to that required for interstate and international interexchange services under Section 42.10 of the FCC's rules (47 C.F.R. § 42.10).

¹ See Appropriate Framework for Broadband Access to the Internet over Wireline Facilities, Universal Service Obligations of Broadband Providers, CC Docket No. 02-33, WC Docket No. 05-271, Report and Order and Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, 20 FCC Rcd 14853 (2005), FCC 05-150 (Rel. Sept. 23, 2005), (Wireline Broadband Order).

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the foregoing Notification of Discontinuance of Common Carrier Wireline Broadband Internet Access Service was serviced this 26th day of June, 2007, by sending via overnight delivery true and direct copies of, postage prepaid, to the following persons:

Todd Irish, President La Harpe Telephone Company, Inc. 104 North Center Street La Harpe, IL 61450

Secretary of Defense Attn: Special Assistant for Telecommunications 1000 Defense Pentagon Washington, DC 20301-1000

The Honorable Rod Blagojevich Office of the Governor 207 State House Springfield, IL 62706

Ms. Elizabeth A. Rolando, Chief Clerk Illinois Commerce Commission 527 East Capitol Avenue Springfield, IL 62706

R.L. Smith, WCB/PPD Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Room 5-A225 Washington, DC 20554



LaHarpe Telephone Company

June 25, 2007

FROM:

Todd Irish

President

La Harpe Telephone Company, Inc.

TO:

All La Harpe Video and Data Services, Inc. (LVDS) Personnel

RE:

Detariffing of LaHarpe Telephone Company DSL Access Services

Effective August 1, 2007, LaHarpe Telephone Company will be providing DSL Access Services on a detariffed basis to LVDS as an Internet Service Provider (ISP).

DSL Access Services are provided by La Harpe Telephone Company to LVDS in the La Harpe exchanges.

A tariff filing will be made with the FCC on 15 days notice effective August 1, 2007 to remove DSL Access Services from the GVNW Tariff F.C.C. No. 2.

Beginning August 1, 2007 the rates, terms and conditions related to La Harpe Telephone Company's provision of DSL Access Services will be posted on the company website. A hardcopy will also be available in the business office.

Please let me know if you have any questions.